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Mr. Matt Trujillo, R.S.
Health and Human Services
Tooele County Courthouse
47 South Main Street
Tooele, Utah 84074

Re: Timberline Facility Closure

Dear Mr. Trujillo:

We have reviewed the concerns raised in your letter of 8 May 1989. Our response is as follows:

Mr. Mack Croft, staff geologist, has reviewed the well log information available for the Timber line production well located down gradient, approximately 100-feet west of the property. Sampling this well is a reasonable procedure to determine if pollution of the ground water has occurred as a result of the operation of this facility.

The neutralization of this spent ore pad and subsequent site reclamation should, as you suggest, be determined in a joint meeting with BLM, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining and the Bureau of Water Pollution Control. We will anticipate this meeting being coordinated by your office after results of the monitoring well sampling have been obtained.

If there are any further questions please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

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